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COUNTRY East Germany REPORT NO. [REDACTED]

TOPIC General Military Information

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REMARKS _____

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1. Beginning in early May 1953, about 100 railroad carloads of construction material, including cement, gravel and broken stones, were daily unloaded about 2 km north of the Barim railroad station.¹
2. Beginning 4 May, the new barracks installation south of Altruedersdorf was occupied by about 500 troops who wore red-bordered black epaulets. On 13 and 15 May, 4 air force officers and about 60 troops wearing red-bordered black epaulets arrived on truck [REDACTED] at the prepared headquarters building in Ruedersdorf-Kalkberge.²
3. At 6 p.m. on 16 May, a column of 8 to 10 trucks towing trailers loaded with poles and ladder-like frames passed through Beelitz, proceeding toward Jueterbog. The trucks, [REDACTED] were occupied by a total of 60 troops with red epaulets.³

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- B-3 4. On 19 May, the quartering buildings of the army at the Schoenwalde Fliegerhorst were occupied by about 400 troops. [REDACTED] did not see any AA guns. Driving school trucks / [REDACTED] were observed. Soviet documents [REDACTED] were found near the Fliegerhorst.⁴

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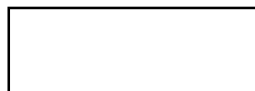
- 25X1A 1. [REDACTED] Comment. With Barim [REDACTED] presumably referred to Warin in Mecklenburg. [REDACTED] a supply depot was to be constructed near Klein- Warin, north of Warin. 25X1
- 25X1A 2. [REDACTED] Comment. The barracks installation southeast of Ruedersdorf presumably was occupied by a regiment of the 2d Gds AAA Div, elements of which moved from Sperenberg to Erkner on 29 April. It is believed that only the guard detail was relieved or inforced at the prepared headquarters building at Ruedersdorf-Kalkberge. The truck belongs to the GDFG. 25X1
- 25X1A 3. [REDACTED] Comment. A column which presumably carried signal equipment and, [REDACTED] belonged to the GDFG. 25X1

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25X1A 4. [] Comment. The unit at the Schoenwalde Fliegerhorst probably was the
 25X1 90th RL Regt (US) of the Second Gds Mecz Army which []
 25X1 [] was carried as absent from the post for exercises as late as 9 May.
 25X1 With three shipments of the 31st AAA Div seen moving to Altengrabow and Neu-
 25X1 strelitz during the last 3 weeks, units of the division evidently need not
 25X1B [] have been seen any longer, although, according to the reference report []
 25X1 [], it was believed that, on 9 May, major elements of the
 25X1 division were still at the post. [] belongs to an unidentified AAA
 regiment of the division in Schoenwalde. Original documents will be forwarded
 later.

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